



PUBLIC NOTICE

Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC)
Wastewater Discharge Authorization Program
555 Cordova Street
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF AN ALASKA POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (APDES) GENERAL PERMIT TO DISCHARGE TO WATERS OF THE UNITED STATES

A Fact Sheet and General Permit are available for review. For inquiries or to request copies of documents, contact:

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Draft Permit Public Notice Period

Public Notice Start Date: **March 1, 2019**
Public Notice Expiration Date: **April 15, 2019**

Permit Number: AKR061000

Applicant:

Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport
Facility Address:
5000 W International Airport Road
Anchorage, AK 99502
Mailing Address:
P.O. Box 196960
Anchorage, AK 99519-6960

Proposed Project and Location:

The Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport (ANC) is operated by the Alaska Department of Transportation & Public Facilities. ANC is located on 4,700 acres at the west end of the Municipality of Anchorage, overlooking the Knik and Turnagain Arms of Cook Inlet. It is the largest airport in Alaska and serves as the major air gateway for passenger travel in and out of Alaska; it is also a key international cargo crossroads for transpacific freighter activity. There are

approximately twenty-five co-permittees that conduct aircraft deicing, aircraft maintenance, or aircraft fueling at ANC. There are five permitted outfalls from the facility into Lakes Hood and Spenard, Knik Arm and Turnagain Arm. A mixing zone is proposed for one outfall into Knik Arm.

Tentative Determination:

DEC has tentatively determined to issue a general permit to the above listed activity.

Public Comments:

Mailed and emailed comments and requests must be postmarked on or before the expiration date of the public notice. Emailed comments must be received before the deadline. The deadline for written comments is April 15, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. AST. All comments must be submitted to the DEC contact person listed above.

DEC anticipates significant public interest in the draft permit and will hold a presentation and hearing on April 3, 2019 at the Coast International Inn 3459 Aviation Avenue, Anchorage. The presentation is from 6:00 pm to 6:30 pm and the hearing is from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm.

Administrative Record:

The APDES draft permit, fact sheet, permit application, and associated documents are available for public review at the DEC offices located in Anchorage. Please contact the office of your choice to arrange for hard copies of the documents to be available for your review.

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If you would like further information or to see any additional supporting technical documents, contact William Ashton.

The documents are also accessible from the DEC website at:

<http://dec.alaska.gov/water/wastewater.aspx>

To receive email notifications about the APDES Program, including when permits are available to review, follow the link below to join the APDES email list.

<http://list.state.ak.us/mailman/listinfo/DEC-APDES/>

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